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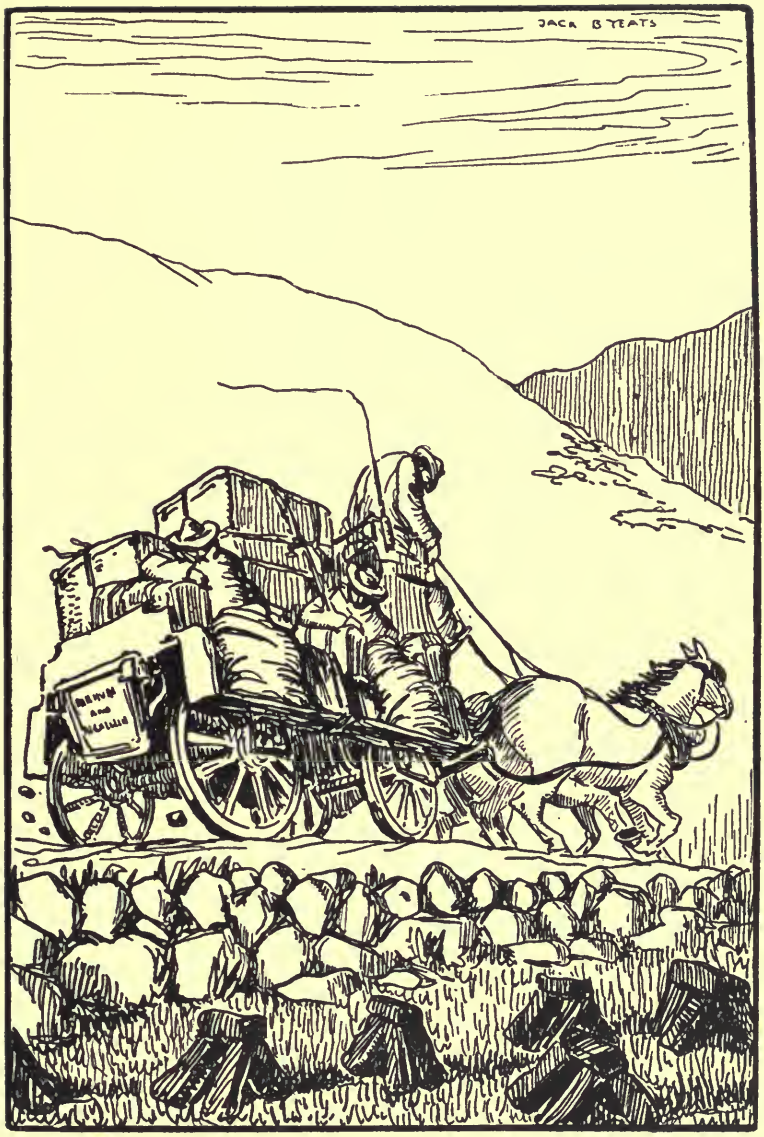
THE COUNTRY SHOP



THE SLEEPERS

They are on a heavy four-wheeled mail car—a "long car"

BONFIRE NIGHT

On St. John's eve bonfires are lit through the country

THE OLD HUNTSMAN

THE CUTTLE-FISH

A JAPANESE TOY IN MAYO

A WANDERER

He was a travelling ballad singer. He told the shopman he had been "ten years in Arabia and seven years on the fields of battle"

AT THE ƥeIr

A Gælic story-telling competition

THE BOYS OF BALLYCASTLE

"MAGGIE"

A POLITICAL MEETING

THE POTEEN MAKERS

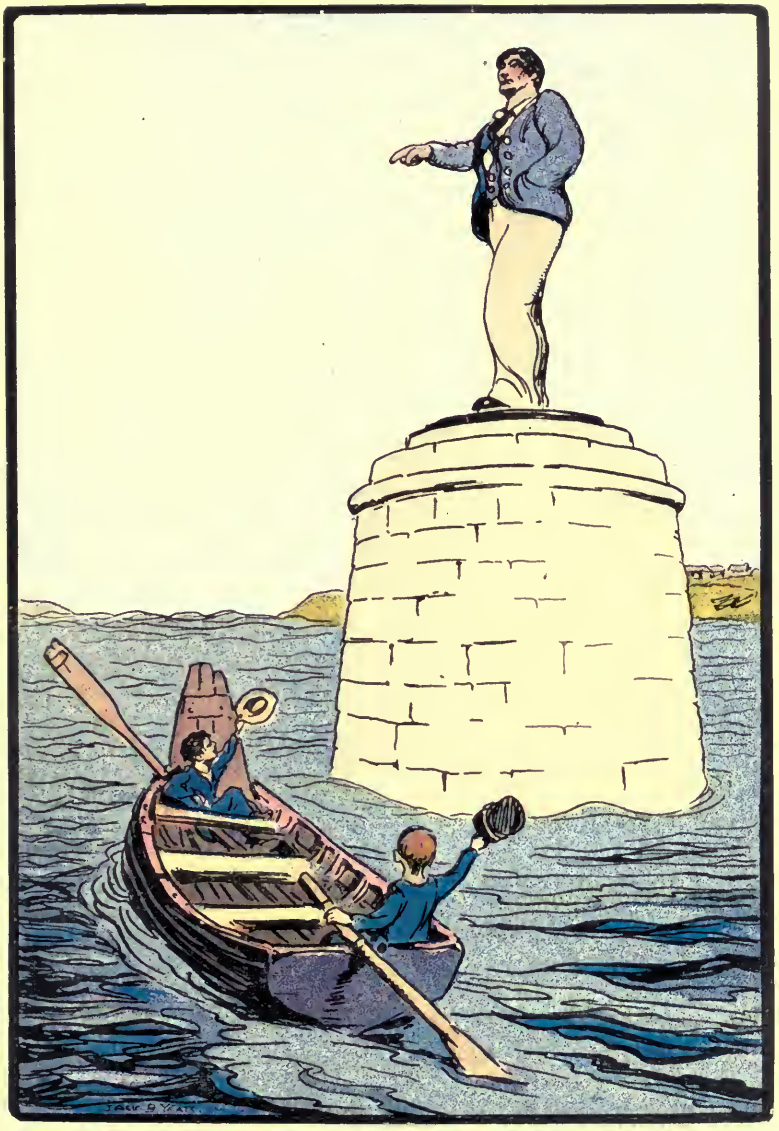
Illicit whisky makers on their trial

BONFIRE NIGHT

Fire play with sods of turf soaked in paraffin

THE DRIVER OF THE LONG CAR

THE POUND STREET BAND

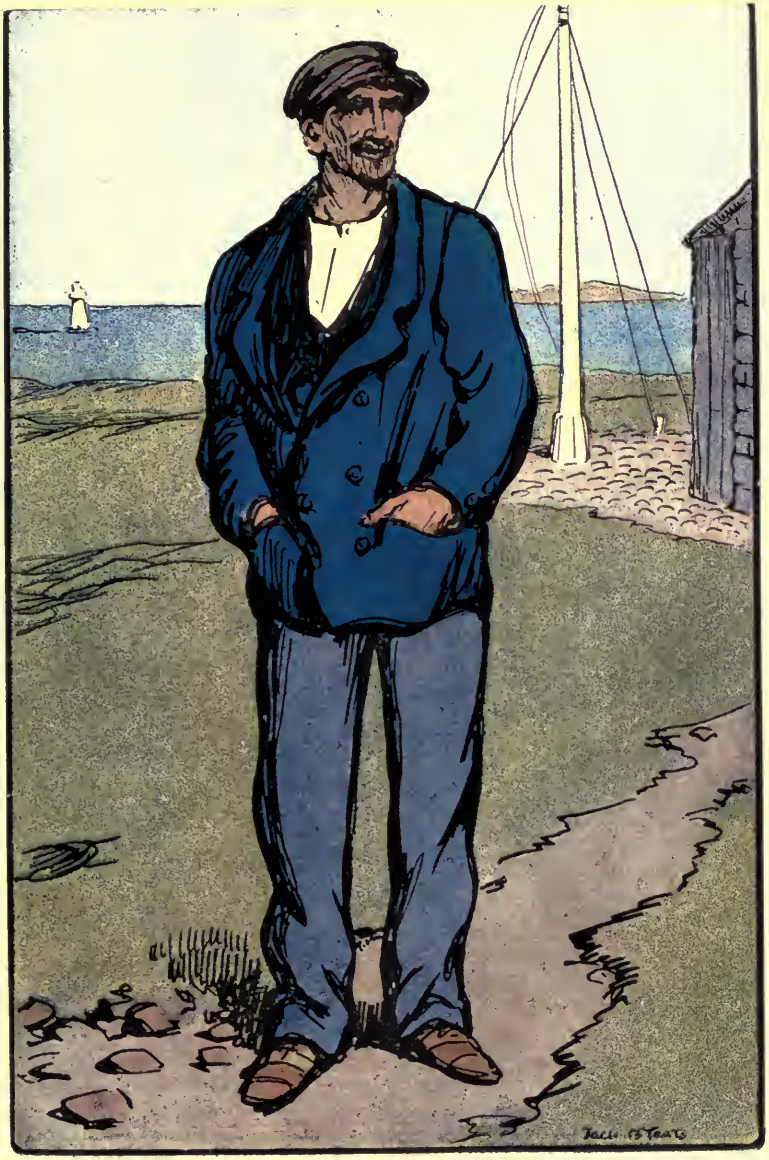


THE METAL MAN

"THE MUSIC"

GATHERING SEAWEED

After a gale the seaweed which is piled on the coast by the waves is gathered for manure



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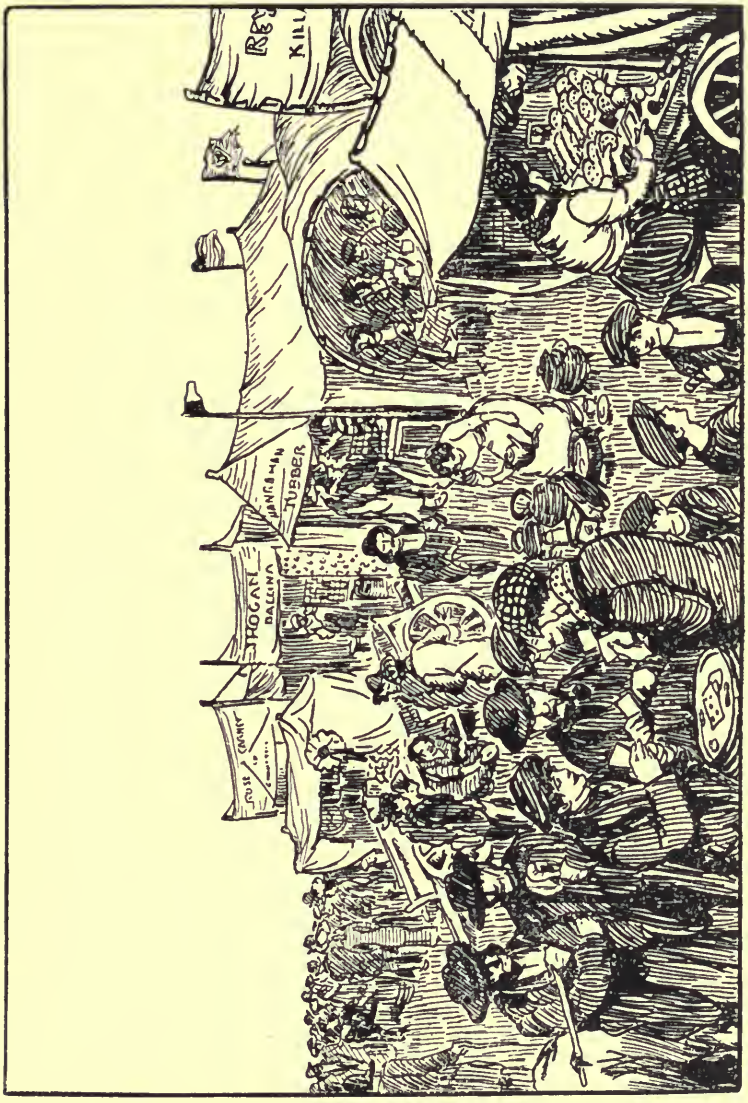

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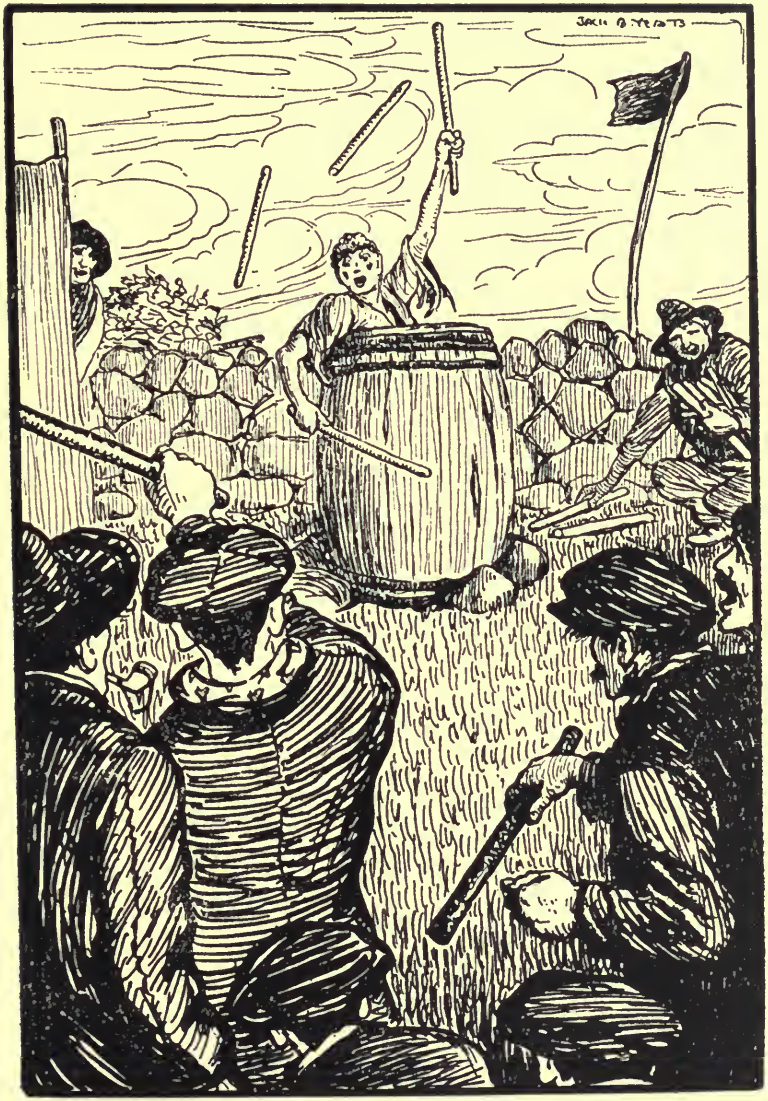
THE RACE DAY

THE STEWARD OF THE SPORTS



THE BARREL MAN

The charge is a penny for three throws. The barrel man defends himself with the sticks in his hands, and if hard pressed drops down into the barrel

WILL HE CATCH THEM

THE ARROW GAME

A kind of roulette.

THE WINNER

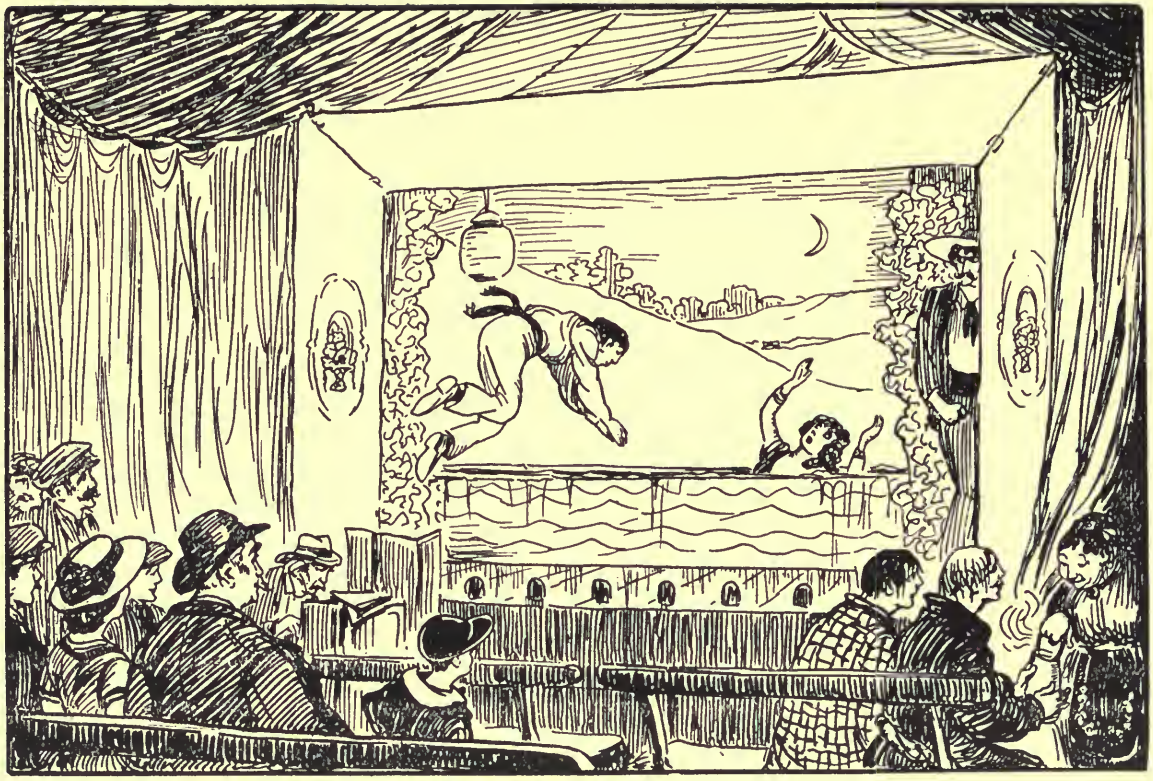
THE GAME OF "UNDER OR OVER"

It is played with dice. The sportsman puts his money on seven, or under or over that number turning up. If he backs seven and seven's the winner, he gets three to one, and evens for "under" or "over." The owner of the table usually throws the dice

THE CIRCUS POSTER

THE CIRCUS PROCESSION IN THE TOWN

A TRAVELLING CIRCUS



IN A BOOTH THEATRE

A play with real water in a tank not sunk into the stage but raised up on it

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Relief Works

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